(ग) क्या सरकार ने अब इन विदेशी मिशनरियों को देश छोड़ने के आदेश दे दिए हैं ; यदि नहीं तो इसके क्या कारण हैं ?

कार्मिक, लोक शिकायत तथा पेंशन मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री तथा गृह मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (श्री पी० चिदम्बरम) : (क) से (ग) मध्य प्रदेश में कुछ विदेशी मिशनरियों, जिन्हें पहले प्रतिकूल रिपोर्ट प्राप्त होने पर आगे ठहरने के समय में वृद्धि करने से मनाकर दिया था, को बाद में कुछ अभ्यावेदन प्राप्त होने पर ठहरने के समय में वृद्धि दे दी गयी । मध्य प्रदेश सरकार को इन मिशनरियों के बारे में विस्तृत जांच करने का अनुरोध किया गया है ।

Prices of Imported Canalised items

995. SHRI SAGAR RAYKA:
SHRI CHIMANBHAI MEHTA:

Will the Minister of COMMERCE be pleased to state:

(a) what are the norms for fixing the prices of canalised items which are imported by various canalising agencies;

(b) whether it is a fact that in the cases of most of the canalised items, the percentage of profit of canalising agency is calculated on the basis of the amount of C.I.F. value plus the customs duty instead of on the F.O.B. value of the imported item; and

(c) whether it is also a fact that in the name of parity of price with locally manufactured items, the canalising agencies are allowed to make huge profits?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE (SHRI P. R. DAS MUNSHI): (a) International price and the expenditure incurred by the canalising agency in importing the item including handling/service charges are the main considerations for fixing the price for the imported material.

(b) Margin of the canalising agency is fixed by taking into account, among other factors, the c.i.f. cost including customs duty.

(c) No, Sir.

Barbed wire fence on Indo-Bangladesh Border

996. PROF. C. LAKSHMANNA: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state what progress has been made in the matter of erecting barbed wire fences along the Indo-Bangladesh border?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI CHINTAMANI PANIGRAHI): It has been decided to construct barbed wire fence for the time being in Assam and Meghalaya sectors of the Indo-Bangladesh border. The work for erection of barbed wire fence will be taken up sector-wise after construction of roads. It has also been decided to take up survey work for construction of roads and for erection of fence simultaneously. According, the work of survey is almost complete in Assam sector and road construction work has been started during this month. Survey work for construction of road/fence in Meghalaya sector is going on.

Training of Police Personnel

997. PROF. C. LAKSHMANNA:
SHRI B. SATYANARAYAN REDDY:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether any scheme has been formulated to train and equip the police and the paramilitary forces with new weapons so as to control the escalating crime situation in the country;

(b) if so, what are the details thereof; and

(c) if not, what are the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS AND THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI P. CHIDAMBARAM): (a) to (c) Bureau of Police Research and Development under the Ministry of Home Affairs have been assigned the task of evaluating various new weapons to judge their efficacy for possible use by police and para-military forces.

Export of Foodgrains

998. DR. MOHD. HASHIM KIDWAI: Will the Minister of COMMERCE be pleased to state:

(a) what was the quantum of foodgrains exported to different countries during the last three years; and

(b) whether there has been any increase or decrease in the export of foodgrains during the last financial years?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE (SHRI P. R. DAS MUNSHI): (a) The following table shows the quantum of foodgrains exported since 1984-85:—

Year	Quantum of Export(MT)
1984-85 . . .	3,06,546
1985-86* . .	5,74,632
1986-87* (April-Feb.) . .	5,28,232

*Provisional.

(b) Export of foodgrains during 1985-86 and 1986-87 have increased as a result of export of wheat, allowed within a limited ceiling.

Raising the Status of Forest Research Institute to a University

999. DR. MOHD. HASHIM KIDWAI: Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have any proposal under their consideration for raising the status of Forest Research Institute to that of a University; and

(b) if not, what are the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS (SHRI Z. R. ANSARI): (a) and (b) A proposal to declare the Forest Research Institute as a "Deemed University" is under the consideration of the Government.

Women Prisoners in Calcutta and Madras

1000. SHRI KRISHNA KUMAR BIRLA: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that according to a recent study a number of AIDS cases among the women prisoners in Calcutta and Madras jails have been detected and that the women prisoners are being kept in various jails in the country under horrible conditions;

(b) whether it is also a fact that sometime in 1983 A. N. Mulla Committee had strongly recommended for separate jails for women besides making other recommendations; and

(c) if so, what is the reaction of the Government with regard thereto stating the extent to which Mulla Committee recommendations have been implemented by the various State Governments and reasons for the non-implementation of the recommendations by the remaining States?